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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Mervyn John ROSE et al.

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Application No: 10/773,696

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For: FIELD EMISSION BACKPLATE

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 31, 2005 and the Communication dated September 19, 2006, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

No fees are believed to be due for this submission. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.